REFERRAL PORTAL - FULL USER GUIDE

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Using the Online Referral Portal

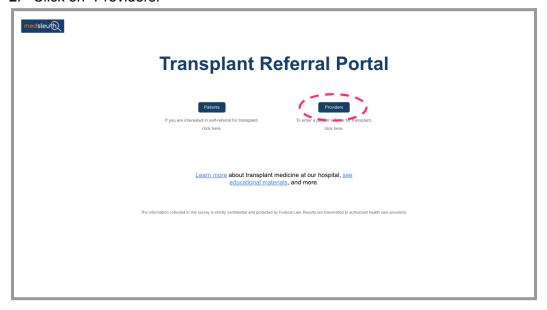
This online portal allows you to refer patients for transplant evaluation, add supporting documentation, and see status updates and messages from the transplant center team.

Before submitting a referral, please have ready digital copies of any supporting documentation you will need to submit with the referral – such as the patient's Form 2728, insurance cards, H&P, most recent lab results, et cetera.

REGISTER FOR A NEW ACCOUNT *or* LOGIN TO AN EXISTING ACCOUNT:

While you can refer patients without creating an account, we strongly recommend that you create an account if you routinely refer transplant patients to this hospital. This will pre-populate certain information when you make new referrals, streamline the process for submitting necessary documentation, and allow you to view your past referrals.

- 1. Go to the website.
- 2. Click on "Providers."



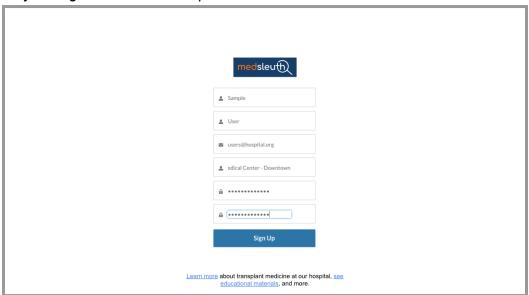
3. In the upper right-hand corner, click on "Register for an account [for new accounts]" or "Login [for existing accounts]."



To register:

4. Fill out your name, work email address, and organization name. All fields are required.

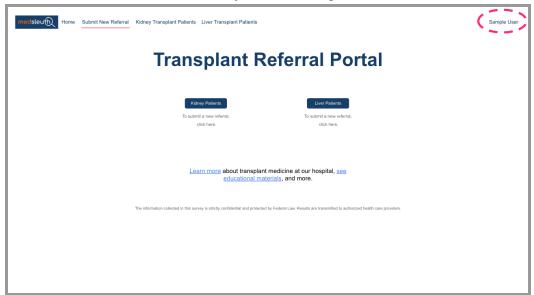
For "Organization Name," please specify the location of your particular facility if your organization has multiple locations.



5. Set a password. Your password should be at least 8 characters long and contain both letters and numbers.

6. Click "Sign up." You are now logged in to your new account.

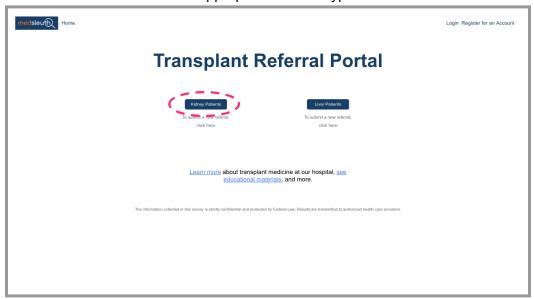
To log in to your account in the future, you will need to first select "Provider" from the home page in order to access the "Login" option. Please note that your username is the email address that you used to register.



SUBMIT A NEW REFERRAL:

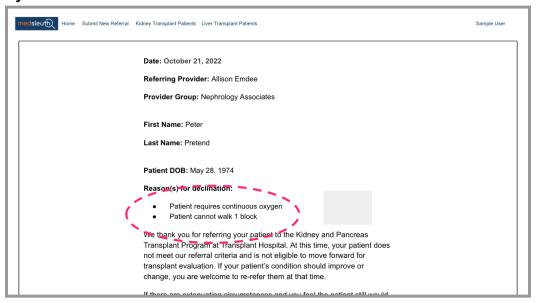
1. Log in to your account by going directly to the login page, or by clicking the "Provider" button on the main page, and then "Login" in the upper right-hand corner.

2. Click on the button for the appropriate referral type.



3. Complete the questionnaire. All fields are required unless otherwise noted.

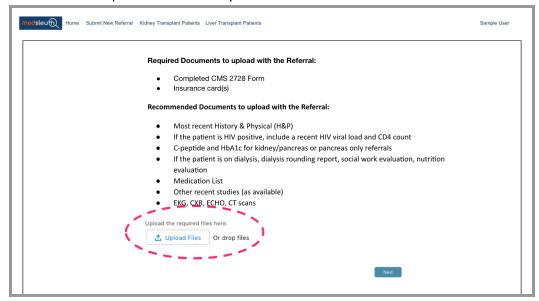
If your referral is declined:



In the questionnaire, you will be asked if your patient meets the hospital's exclusion criteria. While you can still submit the referral, declined patients will not be scheduled for a transplant evaluation at this time. Please print this page or save it as a PDF as proof of your referral.

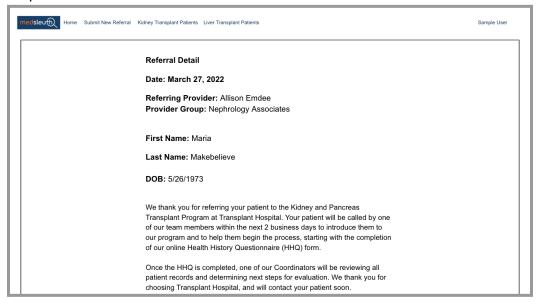
If there are extenuating circumstances and you would like to appeal this decision, this page will also list the process for seeking an exception.

- 4. If your referral is accepted, upload the requested documents.
 - a. Click on the "Upload Files" button on the lower left side of the page.
 - b. Select the requested files from your computer, then select "Upload."
 - c. To upload additional files, simply click the "Upload Files" button again. Please upload all of the requested files at the time of referral.



5. Once you are finished uploading files, click the "Next" button, and you will see a confirmation page. Your referral is now complete. Please print the confirmation page or save it as a PDF as proof of your referral.

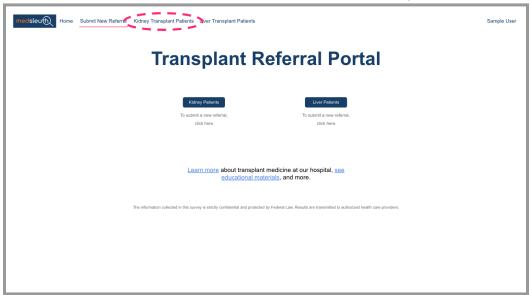
This page also explains the next steps that the hospital will take to evaluate your patient.



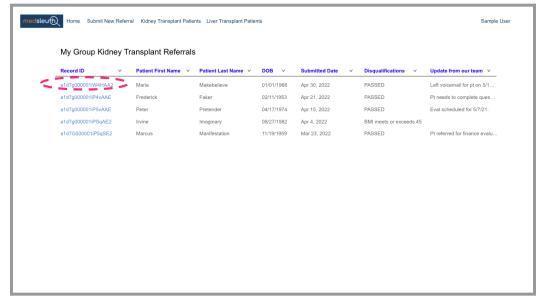
VIEW or PRINT A PAST REFERRAL:

Note: You will only be able to view referrals you made while you were logged in.

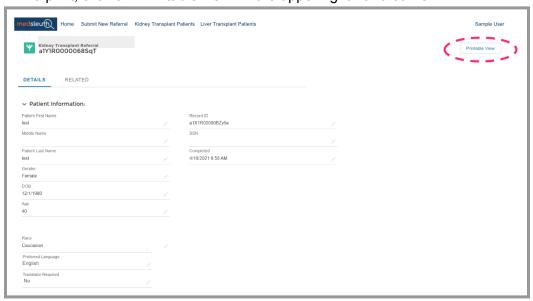
- 1. Log in to your account by clicking the "Provider" button on the main page, and then "Login" in the upper right-hand corner.
- 2. On the top left, click on the link for the appropriate referral type.



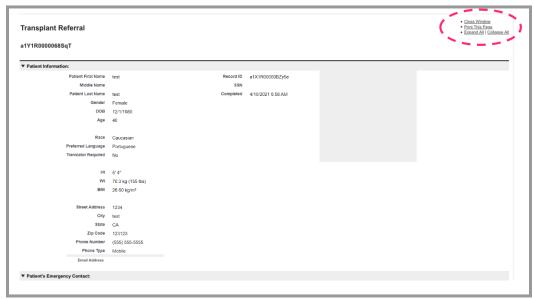
3. Open the referral by clicking on the blue "Record ID" link in the leftmost column. You can also see the referral's status on this page. Open the referral if you need to see more information about the patient's status.



4. To print, click on "Printable view" in the upper right-hand corner.



5. Click on "Print this page" in the upper right-hand corner to print or to generate a PDF.

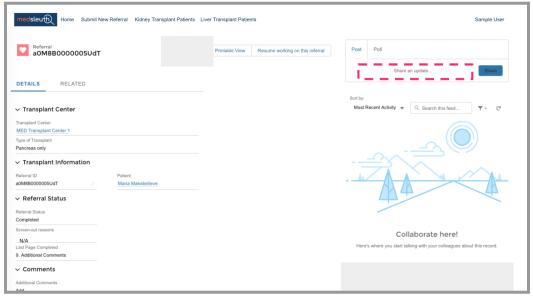


SEND and VIEW MESSAGES:

Note: You will only be able to message with transplant center staff if you create an account.

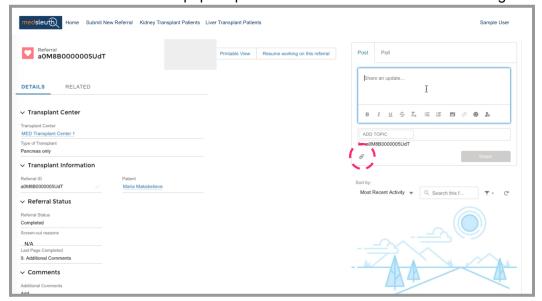
1. First, open the desired referral.

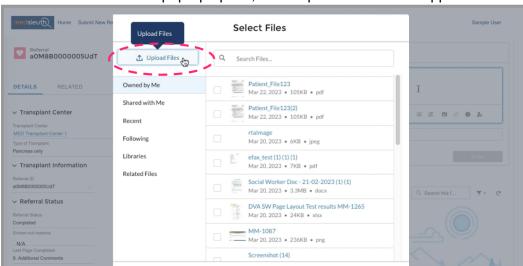
- a. Log in to your account by clicking the "Provider" button on the main page, and then "Login" in the upper right-hand corner.
- b. On the top left, click on the link for the appropriate referral type.
- c. Open the referral by clicking on the blue "Record ID" link in the leftmost column.
- 2. The messaging thread is on the right-hand side of your referral. To message transplant center staff, click where it says "Share an update" in the upper-right. Type your message.



To attach a file to your message:

a. Click on the paperclip icon below the left corner of the message box.





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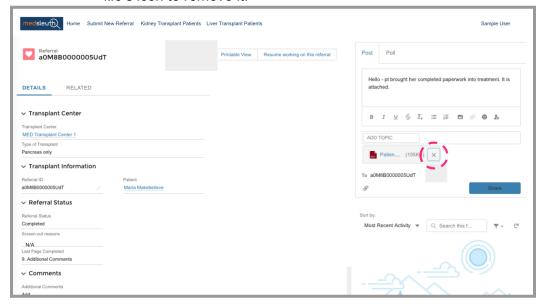
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b. When the pop-up opens, click "Upload files" in the upper left.

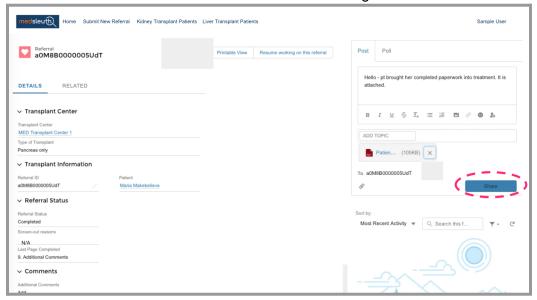
c. Select the files you wish to upload, then click "Open."

If you attach a file by mistake, click on the "X" to the right of the file's icon to remove it.

Cancel



3. Click the blue "Share" button to send the message.



4. Whenever transplant staff send you a message, you will receive a notification email. Messages from staff will appear on the referral in the same messaging thread where you send messages.

